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Old and New.

The British now rule Egypt.
Senator Ben Hill is worse and is not expected to live long.

Mrs. Lincoln, widow of the late President Lincoln, died at Springfield, Ill., Sunday night.

The late Mrs. Lincoln's estate, all in Government bonds, amounts to \$74,000. She claimed to be very poor.

Brother Prescott of the *Union and Journal*, Biddeford, gets the start of them all and has the first flag raising.

"Tug Wilson" got a thousand dollars for letting Jack Sullivan pound him twelve minutes last Monday night in New York.

The *Wilton Record* completes its first volume with last week's issue. It steps out of the usual course of local journals and gives an index of the volume in the last paper. It's a good idea.

A New Hampshire photographer has grouped representatives of five generations on one card—a good old grand-mother, of Petersboro, aged 104, and her son, 86; her grand-daughter, 58; her great-grand-daughter, 32; and her great-great-grandson, 7.

The first half of the present year makes a showing of 4,900 piles of new railroad, which is a greater mileage of construction than in any previous half year in the history of the country.

The sale of the toy pistol must be prohibited as the annual newspaper editorial subject after each Fourth of July celebration. This year is no exception. The report of death from lock-jaw from the effect of flesh wound from these pistols has increased this year.

Wendell P. Linnell, of Oisfield, had his barn destroyed by fire Wednesday night. Cause unknown. Loss \$700; insured for \$550 in Liverpool, London and Globe Insurance Co. Mr. Henry Perkins lost a horse in the fire and Mr. Linnell lost all his farming tools including a good wagon, sleigh, harness, etc.

OUR LITTLE ONES and the *Nursery* are combined into one of the finest juvenile publications issued in America. The illustrations are all works of art, and the sketches for very little children are gems of first water. It is published at \$1.50 a year by the Russell Publishing Co., Boston, Mass. The Company also issues an elegant red and gold cover for binding the volumes.

The paper says ex-Secretary Blaine, who went to Congress a poor man, is estimated to be worth only ten millions. And yet he says in a letter that he has for a long time neglected his financial interests. If he had only had an eye to Muskegon lake, about 800 feet from the shore. It is believed that a great meteoric stone fell, and for a time the people were terrified.

A few nights ago the people of Muskegon, Mich., felt a terrific shock; at the same time there was a bright sulphuric light, and a ball of fire seemed to fall into Muskegon lake, about 800 feet from the shore. It is believed that a great meteoric stone fell, and for a time the people were terrified.

A cyclone wrecked a Western college the other day; but its fate is not so deplorable as that of another which is to be sold out by the mortgages. The Cincinnati Wesleyan College, founded forty years ago, is in debt to the amount of \$80,000, chiefly for a large and costly building erected twelve or fifteen years ago. The debt was not originally so large, but it has steadily increased. So the professors go out, and the auctioneer comes in. Whether this incident will have any influence upon the vanity of establishing little colleges in the West is doubtful.

What would our fathers and grand-fathers have said, fifty or sixty years ago, could they have looked forward to this day and witnessed the fine carriages drawn by handsome horses and well filled with ladies and gentlemen, taking their Sunday rides? They would have been horror-stricken and the law would have been put into force, no doubt, to prevent such a desecration of the day, but time and the people have changed, whether for the better or worse time only will show. The ladies especially in former days were disinclined and too conscientious to spend Sunday as a day of recreation. But when church members set the example what may we expect of others. But then the church too, is growing for more liberty, than it was formerly.

Democratic County Convention.

The democrats met in convention at Paris Hill, Wednesday. There was but a small delegation present. Mr. Thos. S. Bridgman of Buckfield called the meeting to order. Major D. R. Hastings of Fryeburg, was elected temporary chairman with M. F. Charles of Lovell as Secretary. Major Hastings on taking the chair made a short address and gave his reasons why there were so few delegates present.

The services of the committee on credentials was not deemed necessary and were dispensed with. The temporary organization was made permanent.

S. R. Carter of Paris, offered a resolution asking the convention to endorse the nominations made at the recent Greenback convention. The resolution was unanimously adopted.

The convention proceeded to fill the balance of the ticket. It was all done by ballot.

For Senator in the western district Asa O. Pike of Fryeburg, had 20 votes and was unanimously nominated. For County Commissioner in the eastern district, Wm. A. Frothingham of Paris was unanimously selected. County Attorney, A. S. Kimball of Waterford was renominated. Elbridge G. Osgood of Fryeburg, was nominated for Register of Deeds in the Western district.

A committee of the whole was appointed to draft resolutions. The resolutions were similar to those usually made on such occasions. They were read by S. R. Carter Esq. and adopted by the convention.

The Democratic County Committee is made up of the following gentlemen: I. G. Virgin, of Canton. H. A. Randall, of Dixfield. W. H. Whitcomb, of Norway. M. F. Charles, of Lovell. John A. Sweet, of Brownfield. W. E. Skillings, of Bethel. T. S. Bridgman, of Buckfield. O. A. Thayer, of Paris.

The different organizations of the County have had their conventions. There are three organizations; each have met at Paris Hill and have, presumably, selected the best men of their party to represent them. As yet the campaign has not really commenced. The political pot however is warming up a little and will shortly begin to boil.

For fear that some of our readers may forget or get mixed in the premises we append a list of the nominees:

REPUBLICAN COUNTY TICKET.

For Senators, E. W. STEARNS of Lovell. J. W. CLARK of Andover.

For Sheriff, JORDAN STACY of Porter.

For County Attorney, JAMES S. WRIGHT of Paris.

For Clerk of Courts, A. S. AUSTIN of Dixfield.

For Commissioners, FRANK Y. BRADLEY of Fryeburg. GEO. F. HAMMOND of Paris.

For Register of Deeds, (Eastern District,) JOHN F. STANLEY of Paris.

(Western District,) S. C. HOBBS of Fryeburg.

For Treasurer, J. C. MARBLE of Paris.

GREENBACK COUNTY TICKET.

For Senator, J. L. CHAPMAN of Andover.

(Western District,) J. L. CHAPMAN of Andover.

(Eastern District,) J. L. CHAPMAN of Andover.

For Sheriff, LEWIS CHILD of Milton Plantation.

For County Attorney, C. F. WHITMAN of Norway.

For Commissioners, H. G. WALKER of Lovell.

(Eastern District,) H. G. WALKER of Lovell.

(Western District,) H. G. WALKER of Lovell.

For Register of Deeds, (Eastern District,) H. S. MCINTIRE of Peru.

(Western District,) H. S. MCINTIRE of Peru.

For Treasurer, GEO. W. HAMMOND of Paris.

These vacancies are to be filled by the Greenback County Committee.

DEMOCRATIC COUNTY TICKET.

The above Greenback Ticket with the following additions:

For Senator, (Western District,) A. O. PIKE of Fryeburg.

For County Attorney, A. S. KIMBALL of Waterford.

For Commissioners, WM. A. FROTHINGHAM of Paris.

For Register of Deeds, (Eastern District,) E. G. OSGOOD of Fryeburg.

(Western District,) E. G. OSGOOD of Fryeburg.

Albany.

The school in Dist. No. 5 taught by Miss Vina G. Drew, closed July 14th, after a successful term of ten weeks. The following are the names of scholars not absent one half day: Cora Bird, Emma Bird, Freddie Hazeltine, Bertha Hazeltine, Annie Guphill, Fannie Clark, Susie Grover and Aggie Saunders.

Andover.

Haying begins in earnest this week. Flood crops are looking well and making good growth. Corn is springing only a few days later than last year.

Mr. J. H. Bailey is repairing his barn. We are informed that Rev. C. S. Cummings will visit Vineland, N. J. in a few days, and those who profess to know say a bride will accompany him when he returns.

Rev. Mr. Bosserman of Bethel, at Union Hall Sunday p. m.

Mrs. Wm. Poor and sons of Springfield, Mass., are spending the summer with her brother, F. S. Smith, Esq., of this place.

Mr. J. L. Bailey, who for the past year has been in the employ of the Thorndike Mfg. Co. of Lowell, Mass., is home for a time.

We are indebted to M. S. Hussey, Esq., of Roxbury, for some fine specimens of quartz crystals. They were taken from a ledge near his house.

Messrs. Wardwell & Martin have recently purchased a new safe for their store. They have also just added an extension to the first floor in the rear of the building, and built a shed for the convenience of customers.

A town meeting is called for the 25th inst. Several articles are in the warrant, but the principle object of the meeting is to see what action the town will take in regard to the Steam mill Mr. O. P. Smith proposes to build.

The school in Dist. No. 4 closed last Friday after a successful term of ten weeks. The school was taught by Miss Mattie Brooks of Norway. Miss Brooks is an accomplished teacher, and has a faculty of maintaining good order—something which we find lacking in most of our teachers. We are glad to learn that she is to teach our school this fall. F. A.

Bolster's Mills.

Summer boarders and visitors from the cities are coming into this vicinity nearly every day. The stages are crowded with passengers.

Mr. Pomroy, of the firm of Storrs Bros. of Portland, and his wife and three children are stopping with Moore Hancock.

Mrs. Horace Barrows and Miss Nellie Bradford of Portland, are visiting Mrs. Rebecca Knight.

Miss Minnie B. Small, who has been working in a shop in Boston, is at home to visit her friends, and to rest during the hot season.

Farmers are driving their haying as rapidly as possible this week.

Washington Chaplin of Naples, died at his residence, July 13th, in the 38th year of his age. He was the oldest member of Oriental Lodge of Masons. The funeral was attended by the Lodge on Saturday, July 15th.

Canton.

The recent warm weather and frequent showers after a long cold spring have brightened our prospects very much of late, so that we now anticipate an average harvest; hay, cereals and potatoes. The prospect for an abundance of fruit is good.

Business in our village is brisk and shows signs of prosperity. Our sixteen stores, iron foundry and various mechanical industries are all moving to the front and doing a healthy business.

Our Ramford Falls & Buckfield Railroad is doing a large business which is continually increasing and has been from its first start, and much more than even its warmest friends anticipated in so short a time. Its road bed is in fine condition, and its rolling stock and depots will compare favorably with any in the state.

The high prices of dairy products and a ready home market are affording great facilities for profit to our numerous large dairymen of from ten to thirty-five cows.

Our three churches are regularly supplied, and the Sabbath Schools well attended.

The terminus of our Railroad is now at Gilbertville the east side of our village proper, and at the west end of the new toll bridge spanning the Androscoggin river, just beyond and directly by the Canton Steam Saw Mills, and immediately in front of the Hon. A. C. Denison's large and very extensive Pulp Mills, thus affording ample facilities for the transportation of the large amount of incoming and outgoing freight for these establishments.

This new bridge just completed at an expense of twelve thousand dollars, is about 450 feet in length and connects Gilbertville with Canton Point which is the loveliest garden of the Androscoggin River, embracing quite a number of intervals farms of from one half to one mile in width, the soil of which is equal to any in the state of Maine. These farms vary in value from three to twenty thousand dollars.

Canton Point has already received an impetus from the location and build-

ing of the bridge. A large new Steam Mill for the sawing of lumber has been erected and is now shipping large amounts of lumber over the Railroad to Portland and other places besides its local business; also quite a number of dwelling houses and other buildings have recently been erected. More next week.

Mexico.

A very nice four year old calf belonging to Geo. H. Gleason, running in his pasture, went down a steep bank, Sunday, and broke one of his legs, necessitating the killing of him.

Haying begins in earnest, Monday. We shall get a very light crop of hay in the vicinity of Mexico. Other crops look well, but backward.

Oxford.

Joseph French, one of our prominent citizens, was found dead under a tree last Tuesday afternoon. He had been hoeing most of the day and complaining of not feeling well, went and sat down under a tree and expired instantly. Funeral services were held at his late residence Thursday afternoon, conducted by Rev. G. F. Tewksbury of Lyman.

Methodist Quarterly meeting last Sabbath forenoon. Rev. Charles Allen, presiding elder, was present and conducted the exercises. Two persons were received into the church by baptism.

List of persons who pay a money tax of more than fifty dollars:

Thomas Baker,	\$83.50	J. F. Lovering,	50.75
H. Chapman,	72.91	Mason Hays,	65.30
W. L. Caldwell,	85.50	Joseph Robinson,	74.40
W. Coy,	62.30	Mrs. J. Robinson,	66.55
W. Coy,	62.30	Mrs. J. Robinson,	66.55
Harper Munn,	Co. 265.89	Geo. W. Richards,	62.10
S. T. Holbrook,	133.51	W. S. Thomas,	53.07
S. S. Hayes,	165.00	J. Whitney,	14.25
R. K. Holmes,	162.83	Whitney & Clark,	34.41
S. Holmes,	61.67	Johnson & Co.,	248.49
A. L. Hickey,	80.30	John J. Perry,	102.11
King & Holmes,	68.94		

South Waterford.

Fearing that some of the readers of the Advertiser may not have a copy of the new "geography of Waterford," they may by reading last week's correspondence from "Gilpin" be led to suppose that we were gradually marching towards the north pole, or some other locality. We must acknowledge that the "city" conso is out done. For the past week we have been consulting the oldest inhabitants, and we find that the "Retired Flat" is situated (as we have supposed for 25 years) on the shore of "Tom Pond." We love to hear about the "lofty and majestic Mt. Erie," that is nice, but for "Reeka Lake," give us the "old Tom Pond" straight, then we shan't get left.

Mr. Albert Stanwood, connected with the Boston Water Works, is stopping for a few weeks with his family. Lots of hay getting wet this morning. Some are all done haying; others not begun. Help very scarce.

The evidences are that "old Mr. Cider" is right around and doing all he can to help the haying along, as usual. Don't croak the elbow quite so often, boys.

Bro. Cobb, the P. M. is holding the webbing over a good style one.

Mrs. Benj. Whitehouse and son of Norway, are making a short stay with us.

Charlie Green "Merrill's Striker" can move more ground in one hour than any man we ever saw. Dare not tell the story there are so many smart old men.

Paris Hill.

E. P. Chase, Esq., of Portland, and wife are spending a vacation in Paris their old home.

Rev. S. A. Severance of Turner exchanged pulpits with Rev. Dr. Estes, last Sabbath. His discourse from 2 Cor. 11:18 was well received by our people. The evening meeting was made more than usually interesting by the presence and assistance of visitors in the village.

Quite a large number of summer boarders are already in town. Among those spending last Sabbath here were the following at the Hubbard House.

Mrs. P. W. Sheaffer, Pottsville, Pa.; W. C. Gray, Boston; Ned H. Gray, Malden, Mass.; R. L. Morse, Portland; Miss A. M. Woodman, Mrs. A. M. Woodman, Miss E. Hayes, Cambridge, Mass.; Mr. and Mrs. Ivers L. Withers, Mr. Master Fred L. Withers, Lynn, Mass.; Frank Harlow, Dixfield; Mrs. Jas. Puxinton, A. J. Puxinton, Boston.

Prof. C. A. Black, of Lincoln Academy, at Neweastle, is spending a portion of his vacation at the homestead—Democrat.

His Sign.

Three or four days ago a colored man, living in Detroit, hung out a sign on his house, which read: "For Sale."

It happened to be at the gate when a white man came along and said: "You'll never get an offer for your house with any such spelling as that."

The owner of the place was greatly puzzled to improve the orthography, but finally took his wife's advice, and made it read:

"For Sale."

This seemed to be all right for a day or two, and then a school boy halted, and said:

"If you don't fix that sign, all the children will be laughing at you."

There was another convention of the

family, to see where the mistake came in, and the sign was made to read:

"For Sale."

It had not been up an hour when an old colored man came along and queried:

"Does you mean dat dis place an fur Sally? What yer gwine to giv de place to Sally for?"

"Am you findin' fault wid dat sign?" asked the other.

"Well, I doan' quite catch on to the spellin'."

"You doan', eh? Has you got seben hundred dollars to pay cash down fur dis place?"

"No, sah."

"Den you pass on, an' shet up! May-be I doan' spell jist de same as you do, but Ize got prospects of handlin' seben hundred dollars, while you got no boaf knees out to de wedder. I doan' ker to use high down language, an' hever to war a shoe on one foot an' a bite on eider. Go long, ole man—you am too fly on geogaphy."

The custom house officials at Montreal have seized tea valued at \$40,000. New York brokers are trying to get the tea by false entries, and thus evade the 10 per cent duty.

Heart Disease Not So Fatal.

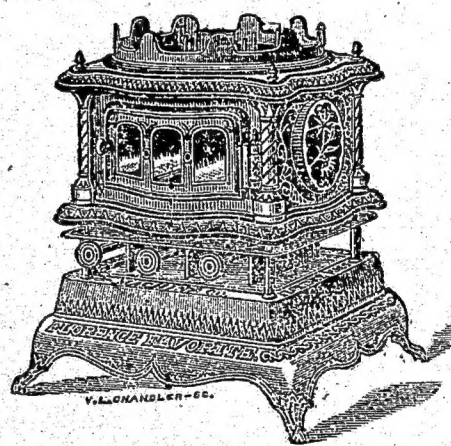
When an individual is reported to have died of disease of the heart we are in the habit of regarding it as an inevitable event, as something which could not have been foreseen or prevented; and it is too much the habit, when persons suddenly fall down dead, to report the heart as the cause. This silence of inquiry and investigation, and saves the trouble and inconvenience of a post-mortem. A true report would have a tendency to save many lives. It is through a report of the disease of the heart that many an epidemic is led off into the grave that covers at once his folly and his crime; the brandy-drinker, too, generally slides around the corner thus, and is heard of no more; in short, this report of disease of the heart is the mantle of charity which the police coroner and sympathetic physician throws around the graves of generous people. At a scientific congress at Strasburg it was reported that of sixty-six persons who had suddenly died an immediate and fatal post-mortem showed that only two persons had any heart affection whatever—one sudden death only in thirty-three from disease of the heart. Nine out of sixty died of apoplexy—one out of every seven—while forty-six, more than two out of three, died of lung affection, half of them from congestion of the lungs, that is, the lungs were so full of blood they could not work; there was not room enough for air to get in to support life. It is, then, of some practical interest to know some of the causes of congestion of the lungs; these are cold feet, tight shoes, light clothing, constive bowels, sitting still until chilled through after having warmed up by hard labor or a long hasty walk.—*Hall's Journal of Health.*

Arrangements are now being made at the treasury department for exchange of 34 per cent. for 3s.

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RESOURCES.	
Loans and Discounts	\$81,392.45
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	100,000.00
U. S. Bonds on hand	25,000.00
Other stocks, bonds and mortgages	1,000.00
Due from approved reserve agents	55,456.42
Due from other National Banks	12,529.11
Furniture and fixtures	2,375.00
Current expenses and taxes paid	1,501.29
Checks and other cash items	500.00
Bills of other Banks	1,682.89
Functional paper currency, medals and pennies	1,558.50
Specie	61.43
Legal tender notes	1,700.00
Due from and with U. S. Treasury	\$4,650.00
Total	\$291,422.55
LIABILITIES.	
Capital stock paid in	\$100,000.00
Surplus fund	7,500.00
Undivided profits	6,118.79
National Bank notes outstanding	1,558.50
Dividends unpaid	63.00
Individual deposits subject to check	70,185.45
Demand certificates of deposit	7,211.30
Due to State Banks and Bankers	8,841.41
Total	\$291,422.55

STATE OF MAINE, County of Oxford, ss. I, H. D. SMITH, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

H. D. SMITH, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of July, 1882.

H. M. REARCE, Justice of the Peace.

CORRECTOR-Attest: L. E. PIKE, W. H. Whitcomb, Directors.

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Cheap-side proposes to put in concrete sidewalks.

Rev. Messrs. Wiswall and Sprague exchange next Sabbath.

Don't forget to tell us the items if you wish to see them in print.

The lumber at the Steep Falls shovels handle factory is all saved out.

Mrs. F. H. Lovering of West Medford is visiting relatives in this village.

It is reported that A. S. Kimball, Esq., of Watford, is to open a law office in this place.

It is expected that the old Amphion Quartette will sing at the two churches in this village next Sunday.

Capt. W. W. Whitmarsh of the Elm House troubled the water Tuesday night and caught five bass.

Regular meeting of the Oxford Lodge No. 18 F. & A. M., at their hall next Monday evening.

Mr. Albert Thomas, proprietor and landlord of the Andover House, Andover, Me., was in town Monday.

Geo. Libby at the Falls has picked and sold bushels of green peas. He has had early potatoes and string beans from his garden.

Mrs. Chas. D. Noble and family of Oberlin, Ohio, and Miss Ellen Brown of Portland, are visiting Mrs. T. O. Brown, at the Falls.

We hope our correspondents will call and see us when in town. You will be welcomed even on our busiest day. Send us the local news.

If you owe the ADVERTISER anything on the old score, before the fire, we would like to have you settle. We mean you. Nobody else.

It is generally understood that Samuel B. Locke of West Paris, is shortly to go into partnership with W. H. Whitcomb, trader and clothing manufacturer of this place.

Chas. L. Hathaway and family have moved into their new house on Main street this week. The house was formerly owned by Lewis O'Brien, Esq.

The ADVERTISER list is constantly increasing. It will soon be back in numbers to where it was before the fire. If your paper does not come regularly, please notify us.

Through the efforts of J. A. Brown, some \$10 have been raised for the benefit of Miss Lizzie Mason, organist, for the Reform Club, Ladies' Aid and Juvenile Temperance Societies.

Mr. W. Z. Brown has resigned his position as bookkeeper in the shoe factory and will shortly go to Coventry, Conn. Miss Anna Griffin of Lynn, takes the position as bookkeeper in the factory.

Mrs. L. Pennell of Portland, recently visited us and highly praised the generous proprietor of the Willis Cottage of Gorham, N. H. She claims that to be the place above all others to stop when visiting Gorham.

Mrs. Susan Kelley, on Paris Street, has a very fine residence. The house is two story and a half high, and is new and has been built with great care throughout. Mrs. K. occupies the second story and will rent the balance of the house. The house and lot when finished will be very attractive. It is one of the prettiest houses on the street.

School in district No. 10 closed on Saturday the 8th. Whole number attending school, 18; average number, 12. The following did not lose any time: Lena Millett, Mercy Millett, Sadie Millett, Susie Millett, Robert Millett, Fred Millett, Rust Jackson, Sallie Jackson.

A correspondent complains of being kept awake nights by hounds continually yelping on Pike hill, and insinuates that if their owners wish to pay taxes on them another year, they had better keep them confined at home. Now we object to any such arrangement. We hold to give the poor hound the greatest amount of liberty. We would be glad to have all the dogs in town take an excursion to the Rocky Mountains. If they should there find plenty of game, and become so attached to the climate as to forever remain in that far-off land, we will try and be patient. We think we know something of confined hounds in the neighborhood where we stop nights, and we have a permanent job forced on to us every morning before breakfast, which is to nail on boards and laths on our hen-coop, torn off during our absence by hungry dogs. We are using large quantities of Paris green, and if there is any danger of our neighbor's dogs getting so hungry as to feed on our dead potato bugs, we advise them to double-up their daily rations, and see if home attractions cannot be made sufficiently strong to prevent these domestic household daisy from devouring our hen coop.

Mason Bros. change their adv. this week.

Mrs. Akers and daughter have returned from their visit to New Hampshire.

J. O. Crooker is lowering his Fairbanks platform scales so they will be more convenient.

Prof. Barton and wife of Plymouth Mass., have been in town this week as the guests of Dr. Tilton.

The Ladies' Circle of the Universalist Society had a pleasant time Tuesday with Mrs. E. W. Howe and Mrs. Geo. Merrill.

Mr. Elbridge, foreman of the upper room of the shoe factory, has rented the house on Pleasant Street next to Mr. C. L. Hathaway's lately occupied by Mr. Grover.

Mr. Dexter Hawkins of New York, is spending a few days in our village with his brother. Mr. Hawkins delivered an able address at the commencement of Bridgton Academy, where he was at one time pupil and professor.

D. D. G. M. D. S. Knapp of South Paris installed the officers of Norway Lodge No. 16 I. O. O. F. last Tuesday evening. The officers for the current term are as follows:

N. G. W. W. Hooper; V. G. E. Ames; R. S. J. W. Cronmet; Treas. J. A. Brown; War. J. Grant; Con. J. Devine; R. S. N. G. G. F. Whitman; L. S. N. G. G. F. Millett; R. S. V. G. Frank Seavey; L. S. V. G. A. B. Richardson; L. G. S. F. Stearns; O. G. A. Thurlow; R. S. S. Fred Stevens; Chaplain, E. W. Howe.

We received an anonymous communication complaining of two boys, one in particular which is set forth as being a very bad and brutal fellow. It alleges that these two boys put live coals of fire on another little boy's bare feet last Sunday, and otherwise tortured him. The boys' names are given though we withhold them. We would suggest to the party who made the complaint the propriety of signing their name to all articles they may have occasion to send to a newspaper office. We do not wish to publish the name, but simply to know who is responsible. Please remember this.

The Ordway house on Pleasant St. has been undergoing extended repairs. The property is owned by H. M. Bearce, Esq., and the house is occupied by Mr. Samuel Freeman, a carpenter by trade, who has been remodeling it, under the direction of Mr. Bearce for some weeks. The paint recently added by Mr. Small makes the building show off to good advantage. One would hardly know it so great has been the change. Its nearness to the business portion of the village makes it a very desirable place.

The Juvenile Temperance Society held a meeting last Sabbath evening in the place of the regular Reform Club meeting. The children were their regulars and were out in good numbers. All the parts were well executed and the exercises which consisted of recitations, declamations and singing were very interesting. Much credit is due the president, Mrs. Lewis O'Brien and other officers of the society as well as the children for so creditable an entertainment. A collection was taken in order to get funds to procure certificates of membership for children who compose the society. We understand that between four and five dollars was raised.

The remains of Mrs. Sarah Foster were brought here from Nashua, N. H., for interment Saturday. The deceased was 91 years of age, and formerly a resident of this place. She died at the home of her daughter Mrs. A. M. Morton, of Nashua, Mass. Mrs. Foster was a native of Groton, Mass. She has resided for a long time in Lowell as well as at East Boston. Her children were Mrs. Morton, Mrs. Chas. S. Whitehouse of Rochester, N. H., Mrs. Mary K. Frost of this town, and one son, Mr. Amos Foster, who is now traveling in the southwest. The greater part of her married life was spent in this place. She survived her husband about 40 years. The deceased was a noble woman and served her day and generation faithfully, being a most devoted wife and mother and a kind and considerate neighbor.

Mr. Otis O. Roberts, of Dexter, Me., is canvassing this village and the country for Rev. T. Garrish's "Army Life or Personal Reminiscences of the Late Rebellion." These sketches were published in the Belfast Journal during the past year and have attracted a good deal of attention. They make a volume of over 400 pages. The work is now going through the press and will be ready to deliver to subscribers by the middle of next month. The book will be substantially bound and sold for the remarkably low sum of \$1.50. We doubt not the book is well worth the money and the time bestowed in reading it. It is unanimously endorsed by every paper in the State. Look at the prospectus and satisfy yourself whether you want to read it or not. Mr. Roberts, the canvasser, saw service with the 6th Maine Regiment in the late "unpleasantness" and returned a cripple having lost a foot.

Rowe, the barber, moves into his new shop, this week.

We hope the circus bill boards will come down soon.

Mr. Snell, of Mechanic Falls, has moved into Joel Crooker's house on Water Street.

Dr. Jones and Geo. Holmes recently went to Stoneham trout fishing and brought home over 200 fish.

Prof. H. P. Forbes, of St. Lawrence University, will preach Sunday at the Universalist Church.

Mrs. L. C. Pennell, of Portland, we understand, has made arrangements to deliver her lecture "Sickness vs. Smells" at the Congregationalist Church, next Sabbath at 3 o'clock p. m.

The Agent of Lewis Red Jacket Bitters was in town Thursday. This popular Bitter is preferred at New Haven Conn. and has met with a wonderful sale wherever introduced. Liver disorders, Dyspepsia and Debility readily yield to it and immediate effects are felt. Purely a vegetable preparation scientifically compounded.

We would express our thanks to Sylvanus Cobb Jr., for the receipt of \$5.00 which he begs us to accept as payment for his paper for the current year. Mr. Cobb was paid up and a good deal more so, at the time of the fire and it seems to us that five dollars for the ADVERTISER, is a large amount of money for a small amount of paper, however, we will not complain but accept the free-will offering thankfully.

Geo. R. Howe, son of Freeland Howe Esq., and four of his college chums, H. F. Edwards, College Hill, Mass., F. C. Bueno, San Paulo, Brazil, A. W. Peirce, Arlington Mass., and C. W. Gerould, Chicago, started on a camping-out expedition around the mountains, Wednesday. Fred S. Sanford of this place also belongs to the party. They took a team along with them to carry their baggage and camp equipments, but the boys are to make the journey on foot. They expect to be absent three or four weeks.

Wm. B. Clark died very suddenly last Monday at his father's residence, on Paris Street. He had been sick with a fever and was supposed to be out of danger and convalescent. His sudden death is attributed to heart disease. Mr. Clark was about 25 years of age and a very promising young man and will be greatly missed. He was an active member of the Methodist Church of this place and was, at the time of his death, Superintendent of the Sabbath School. For a number of years past he had worked in the shoe factory.

Two fishermen of this village while out fishing last week thought they discovered a swarm of bees in a tree. On returning they made known their discovery to Charles Penley, a renowned bee-liner, who immediately entered into negotiations for the bees. He was to have the bees and the finders of the swarm were to have the honey. Penley visited the owner of the tree, Mr. F. R. Gammon, and paid him one dollar for the privilege of cutting down the tree. The party went out to capture the swarm and get the honey. "Bibb," who is blessed with a good appetite, ordered a loaf of dry bread, remarking to his companions, "never mind the butter, bread and honey is the order of the day." They cut the tree down and upon examination found it contained only hornets--no bees, no honey. They returned home after swearing to each other that they would keep the matter a secret. The whole thing has become public, however. It leaked out somehow, and now it is "How many hornets does it take to make a swarm of bees?" The question is often evaded in stronger language than becomes us to print. When they find bees and honey we hope they will remember the editor.

NOTICE.
Harry Rust Post & Co. A. M. want the first Friday in each month, at Grange Hall, at 8 o'clock, P. M.

Norway Lake.

Rev. A. Wiswall delivered a fine discourse at our school house on Sunday at 5 P. M. It was very pleasant to note how the partition fences between the different churches, and even the high walls that fence out all the good and great of society if they happen to fall in some particular spiritual experience, are being broken by the better thought of our best religious speakers. When the feeling is still further eliminated from the church members that they are better than other people, simply because they belong to some church, regardless of their acts, the better it will be not only for the church, but the world as well.

Born--At the residence of Hiram Hathaway, July 17, to the wife of Mr. Chas. T. Witt of Boston, a son.

Mr. Geo. Witt and wife, of Boston, are spending a few days at his father's home in town.

J. A. Bolster offers his farm for sale, with crops, for \$3,000.

Farmers are very busy cutting their hay. A few will finish this week, and others have just commenced. The crop will be a little above the average, perhaps.

North Norway.

Mrs. Sarah Whitmarsh's remains were brought to Norway Center from Nashua, N. H., and buried by the side of her second husband, Mr. Nathan Foster. Mrs. W. was nearly 91 years old.

H. S. Judkins' family, from Boston, are boarding at Rollin Towne's this summer.

Mrs. Edward Whittle is quite sick, and her friends almost despair of her recovery. Her daughter, Mrs. Mary Hall from Austin, Nevada, is visiting her now.

Mr. W. H. Tracy recently lost a valuable cow.

July 13th, a Quarterly meeting at the Methodist Chapel. The presiding elder, Rev. Mr. Allen, preached a very effective discourse.

The Sabbath School at No. Norway is largely attended this summer. 115 scholars last Sabbath.

South Paris.

Weather warm.

Vegetation blooms.

Corn has been trying to compete with Jonah's gourd in its growth for the last few days.

Green peas now appease the hunger of many households.

Dwight Wise, son of Mr. Geo. Wise, was bitten by the Paris Hill coach dog on Monday. The flesh was lacerated, but no very serious results are expected. Mr. Victor Greenleaf, in alighting from the coach, was also attacked by the same dog, and one limb felt the force of canine ivory.

Mrs. Frank Wise has been ill for several days, but it is believed that, with constant care, recovery will gradually take place.

Mrs. Alvin Rice appears somewhat improved in health. Mr. Lovejoy, of Norway, has assisted Mr. Rice in the care of the sick for the past few days.

Mrs. James Deering, after a sickness of 17 weeks, enjoyed a carriage ride last Saturday.

Mr. H. N. Bolster now occupies the D. N. True store, while his own building is undergoing extensive repairs.

Mr. Levi Rawson has moved into the lower part of Mrs. Tuel's house, adjoining the Savings' Bank.

Mr. Isaac Cummings recently met with a severe accident. He was driving his oxen into the barn when the wheels struck in some way, and the oxen turned round striking one end of the yoke against Mr. C. breaking three of his ribs.

Wheeler & Shurtleff, insurance agents, have dissolved. Mr. Shurtleff goes out and Mr. Wheeler will in the future conduct the business alone.

Mr. Frank Hayden of Boston is stopping at Mrs. Lombard's, opposite the fair grounds. He has with him the trotting stallion, Elclair, owned by Chas. Kimball of Rumford, and the roan mare, Cassandra, owned by Mr. Price of Rumford.

W. W. Shaw's trotting mare so familiar to So. Parisites, lost her foal Jumbo last week. It never rains but it pours. Last Tuesday Mr. Shaw's mare started from the village and ran all the way home at a gallop that would discount a forty horse, going into the stable on the jump, fortunately breaking only the whiffle tree.

Among the arrivals at the hotel this week we notice Mr. and Mrs. Akeley of Boston, Mr. Bradford and family of Salem, N. H., Mr. Kyle G. Wilson and our former townsman, Harry Colby.

Mrs. Andrews, the genial landlady of our village hotel, returned from Boston this week and received a welcome smile from her contented guests.

Mr. J. R. Bangs of Casco, was in town the other day looking at the corner store of the I. O. O. F. Block, and talks of setting up a goods furnishing goods store therein.

Last week as Mrs. Geo. A. Wilson and a lady friend of Mass. were driving towards Norway village, their horse shied at a wheelbarrow load of hay standing by the fair grounds, and becoming frightened broke into a rapid run. One of the holdback straps broke, which complicated matters still more, but owing to the coolness and superior horsemanship of Mrs. W., the horse was stopped without further damage, and what promised at one time to be a serious accident was skillfully averted.

Geo. E. Pratt, wife and child are stopping in town on a visit.

The water at the mills is low, and work by water-power is stopped at the furniture factory.

W. B. Clark died very suddenly last Monday of typhoid pneumonia.

A. Prince, traveling salesman for S. and J. Myers of Boston, formerly the largest wholesale jewelry establishment in the country, was in town last Monday with a tempting assortment of diamonds.

Master Frank Knapp of this village has just been engaged by the Little Island theatre of Peaks Island to play the cornet for them during the season.

Dr. Staples of Portland, has rented an office in the F. O. O. F. block.

MARRIED

In Oxford, July 15th, by Rev. F. L. Butler, Mr. E. C. Ambrose, Esq., and Miss Abbie C. W. France, both of Oxford.

DIED

In Norway, July 17th, Wm. B. Clark, aged 25 years and 9 months.

In Oxford, July 17th, Miss Ida M. Kemp, aged 24 years and 4 months.

In Brockton, Mass., July 17th, Mrs. Jennie E. wife of Albert Bolster, aged 39 years and 3 months.

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